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WDVA Secretary's Column

John A. Scocos Secretary of the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs



Thank you Veterans and Families

Wisconsin veterans have a long and proud tradition of service to our state and nation which is often passed down from generation to generation. From the very beginning, America has owed its very existence to those who sacrificed so much to fight for it, build it, and sustain it.

The personal sacrifice and determination of the American veteran has preserved our nation in the toughest of times, of which there have been many. Without the veterans of the Revolution, America would not exist. Without the veterans of the War of 1812, our new democracy would've been lost. Without the veterans of the Civil War, the condition of slavery would have continued on. Without the veterans of World War II, the forces of darkness and evil that were Nazi Germany and the Empire of Japan would have conquered the world.

In the past half century, our veterans have served to liberate oppressed peoples, restore order, and stand behind our allies, deterring aggression when possible, and backing it with force when required. Korea, Vietnam, Iraq, and Afghanistan were all operations not only to promote our values and democracy, but to encourage freedom amongst people who had lost it or had never known it.

When these brave men and women went off to war, a family waited behind. Our veterans are our sons and daughters, husbands and wives, fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, nieces, nephews and grandparents. When our servicemembers leave our communities and their loved ones behind to serve their nation, those they leave behind also share in the sacrifice of that Soldier, Sailor, Airman, Marine or Coastguardsman.

The post-9/11 generation has brought many of the stories of service and sacrifice of veterans and their families to the forefront of Americans' thoughts, probably much the same way it has for the past two centuries when our young men and women went off to serve. Families are proud to support their veterans. Veterans are proud to not only defend their nation, but also their families. Many are also proud to carry on a legacy of service that dates back generations.

Without our veterans, our nation would not exist. Without the strong backing of their families and traditions of service, our military wouldn't be what it is today.

All these things, which make our veterans special, are the reasons we are proud to serve you at the Wisconsin Veterans home at King.

AMVETS and AMVETS Auxiliary **CNG WEEKEND





Members played cards and dice games in the Marden Memorial Center Social Room.



AMVETS Aux. National President Evelyn McElvin join in on the fun!











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Ainsworth Hall MPR was packed full of members enjoying casino day.







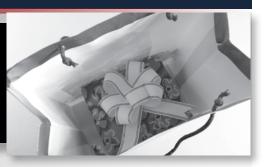


AMVETS White Clover Princess.



Thank you to the Waupaca National Guard for helping with this event!

On behalf of the members, we sincerely Thank Everyone for their generous donations.



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In memory of Gerhard Starck

Emmanuel Lutheran Ladies Aide

New London, WI

Eric Minehart

Waupaca, WI



The **VFW Lakeland Post 7898 from Woodruff, WI** donated \$500 to the King Home Exhange.

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Donations

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Gerald Gerdin

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In memory of Dennis Eichorn

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Gary Schwersinske who resides in Ainsworth Hall donated \$300 toward the library.

AMVETS Post 51

Sturgeon Bay, WI

Moose Lodge 1572 Stevens Point, WI

Quantum Dairy Bus Tours

Weyauwega, WI

Ethel Vande Hey

Freedom, WI

For All the Right Reasons Foundation

Waukesha, WI



In Memory of

"Our country is in mourning, a Veteran died today."

Fred S. Beaudry
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HELP WANTED!

Welcome Salute Volunteers are NEEDED!

The Welcome Salute is a program you may have heard about which started a few months ago at the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King. It is a program which offers new members an opportunity to get to know each other, current members, volunteers, and to learn a little bit more about the King campus.

When first coming to King, it is fair to say, one's impression may be that it is a big place with a lot of people to meet, places to go, and things to become familiar with. The Welcome Salute was initiated to assist with making the move to King an easier transition with a more welcoming environment.

So what is the Welcome Salute all about? Within a couple of weeks of being admitted to the Veterans Home at King, new members will receive an invitation from a current member or volunteer to attend the next program. The program takes place every other Thursday in the Marden Library from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. On the morning of the Welcome Salute, a member or volunteer will come directly to the new member's room to personally escort them to the Library, so there are no worries for the new member to try to find the location on their own. Coffee and snacks are provided while we go around the room making introductions. Each member is presented with a ribbon honoring their service specific to the branch in which they served. From the Library's meet and greet the new members are taken on a personalized tour of the campus by a volunteer. The new member is able to direct where they want to go and what they want to see. Once the tour is completed, the volunteer escorts the new member back to their room. If the new member would prefer to skip the tour and go directly to their room, they are able to do that as well.

If you would like to volunteer and become involved, please call Amber Nikolai at 715.258.4247.





October Anniversaries

- 9 Fred and Barbara Johns
- 13 Ervin and Carol Stuckart
- 21 James and Grace Vander Bloomen
- 26 Maxwell and Kathleen Huhta
- 28 Robert and Virginia Klapper



VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATION MEETING TIMES

AMERICAN LEGION POST 161

Meets second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. POST meets in the Marden Memorial Center meeting room. AUXILIARY meets in the Marden Memorial Center Multi-Purpose room.

AMVETS POST 1887

Meets last Monday of the month at 6:00 p.m. in the Marden Memorial Center Multi-Purpose room.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

Chapter #53 meets at 7:30 p.m. at the New London Community Center. Call (715) 823-5335 for meeting room.

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

Meets third Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m. in the Marden Memorial Center Multi-Purpose room.

OPERATION DUSTOFF-VIETNAM VETERANS Meets second Wednesday of the month at 2:00 p.m. in the Marden Memorial Center Multi-Purpose room. Please call (715) 258-5586 ext. 3311 with any questions.

WAUPACA CVSO

Jesse Cuff will be in the Marden Social Security Office on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m to noon. For any questions, please call (715) 258-6477 or email him at jesse.cuff@co.waupaca.wi.us.

WI BASE OF SUBMARINE VETERANS

Meets the last Saturday of every month in the Marden Memorial Center meeting room at 10:00 a.m. Please call (715) 630-0279 with any questions.

The first annual **Wau-King Together for Dementia Awareness** was a success! Thank you to all the sponsors, donors, and everyone who helped in any way to make this event possible and successful!

















Participants decorated ornaments and hung them on a tree in honor of a love one.



Riley Knudsen took first place in the 5K walk.





Menus are subject to change. Please speak to dining room staff or your dietitian to request alternate choices which are indicated on the menu in parentheses.

Lunch Menus for October 16 - November 12, 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Roast Pork with Spiced Apple Ring (Roast Beef) Whipped Potatoes with Pork Gravy Fresh Baked Squash (Wax Beans) Strawberry- Rhubarb Fruit Cup	Tossed Salad (Pickled Beets) With French Dressing (Diet Ranch Dressing) Warm Garlic Roll Ranger Cookie	(Diced Carrots) Warm Breadstick Vanilla Cheese- cake	(Wax Beans) Sweet Potato Pie	(Turkey Loaf) Whipped Potatoes With Gravy Whole Kernel Corn (Green Beans) Banana Cake	Grilled Haddock with Tartar Sauce (Meatloaf) Baked Potato (Whipped Potatoes) Brussels Sprouts (Asparagus) Rye Bread Raspberry Jell-O with Peaches	Chicken Breast with Supreme Sauce (Salisbury Steak) Steamed Red Potatoes (Whipped Potatoes) Mixed Vegetables (Squash) Poppy Seed Cake with Icing
Noodles Romanoff (Whipped Potatoes) Harvard Beets (Diced Carrots) Blushing Pear	Sugar Snap Peas (Asparagus) Fortune Cookie Tapioca Pudding	Baked Chicken (Meatloaf) With Cranberry Sauce Country Dumpling with Chicken Gravy (Whipped Potatoes) Squash (Wax Beans) Frozen Strawberry Yogurt	Boiled Dinner: Ham (Pork Roast) (Turkey Loaf) Boiled Potatoes with Carrots (Whipped Potatoes) Cabbage Wedge (Wax Beans) Potato Roll Oatmeal Cake	Meatloaf with Tomato Sauce (Chicken Fillet with Supreme Sauce) Baked Potato (Whipped Potatoes) California Blend Vegetables (Asparagus) Date Cake	with Syrup (Whipped Potatoes) Bacon Strips (Scrambled Eggs) Applesauce Pumpkin Square	Chicken Pot Pie (Hamburger with a Bun) Tossed Salad (Waldorf Salad) With Thousand Island Dressing (Diet French Dressing) Chocolate Sundae
BBQ Pork Ribs (Meatloaf) French Fries (Whipped Potatoes) Pea Salad (Carrot Salad) Banana Cream Pie	Smoked Beef Au Jus (Turkey Tetrazzini) Baked Potato (Whipped Potatoes) Cucumbers Vinaigrette (Tossed Salad with French Dressing) Potato Roll Fresh Apple Slices with Caramel Sauce	Italian Meat Sauce (Turkey Loaf Over Mostaccioli (Whipped Potatoes) Tossed Salad (Carrot Salad) With Ranch Dressing (Diet French Dressing) Warm Garlic Roll Chocolate Ice Cream	Pork Chop with Apple, Onion and Bacon (Meatloaf) Roasted Red Potatoes (Whipped Potatoes) Pickled Beets (2 Bean Salad) Warm Dinner Roll Double Chocolate Pudding	Sliced Turkey with Cranberry Sauce (Pork Roast Sage Dressing with Gravy (Whipped Potatoes) Fresh Baked Squash (Asparagus) Spice Cake	Lemon Pepper Tila- pia with Tartar Sauce (Hot Sliced Turkey) Garlic Whipped Potatoes Fresh Spinach Salad (Pea Salad) With Bacon Vinaigrette Dressing (Diet French Dressing) Warm Rye Bread Raspberry Sherbet	5 Chicken Dijon (Tater Tot Hot Dish) Vegetable Fried Rice (Whipped Potatoes) Braised Red Cabbage (Peas) Carrot Cake
6 Beef Pot Roast (Macaroni and Cheese Whipped Potatoes with Gravy Carrots, Celery and Onions (Wax Beans) Coconut Cream Pie	Garlic-Parmesan Potatoes (Whipped Potatoes) Broccoli Cuts (Diced Carrots)	Chopped Steak w/ Sautéed Onions (Turkey Tetrazzini) Creamed Potatoes (Whipped Potatoes) Braised Brussels Sprouts (Green Beans) Orange Sherbet	9 Breaded Pork Cutler with Mushroom Gravy (Scrambled Eggs) Roasted Red Potatoes (Whipped Potatoes w/gravy) Fresh Baked Squash (Spinach) Apple Pie	(Tater Tot Hot Dish) Wild Rice Blend (Whipped Potatoes) Vegetable Stir Fry (Asparagus) Fresh Orange Wedges	VETERANS' DAY Grilled Ribeye Steal With A-1 Steak Sauce (Chicken Breast in Supreme Sauce) Baked Potato With Butter (Whipped Potatoes) Green Beans Amandine (Diced Carrots) Onion Rye Bread	12 Savory Meatballs (Turkey Loaf) Whipped Potatoes Creamed Corn (Diced Beets) Pistachio Torte



Sister Martha Mafurutu

Catholic Chaplain

Benefits of Being Willing to Sit in Silence Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed. Luke 5: 16.

In the silence of the heart, God speaks. A newly canonized Saint, Mother Teresa of Calcutta states, "God is a friend of silence." Mother Teresa With Great Love page 26. The words of Elijah inspired me in many different ways. He was a wonderful prophet of God, equipped with power and wisdom from above. Elijah went into a cave and spent the night. And the word of the Lord came to him... a gentle whisper, 2 Kings 19: 9 and 12. Elijah is teaching us that when facing a new challenge, making silence our first response gives the chance to reflect before we speak, increasing the likelihood that this silence will open our minds to understand and follow our resolution and goals. Furthermore, silent reflection promotes the appropriate use of what we call spiritual medication which is nourishing spiritual food.

Silence can create a listening space. When we are profoundly listening to someone, we create an open space for them to talk that's almost profound. Good listeners know how to do this, and it can be learned. It's an openness that we transmit through nonverbal means. It is said that "silence speaks louder than words." In times of grieving or confusion, there are situations in which we can do nothing, but sit and listen to an individual struggling with what he / she is going through. In order to study emotional, verbal and nonverbal communication, we need to keep silent.

Many times pastoral caregivers blame themselves. Why do I go and just sit with someone grieving and do nothing? Grieving is a process; some people like to talk; some like to be busy working, and some sit quietly whether a caregiver is there or not. I never used to find this to be pastoral care. Well, now look! Lao Tzu helps us to answer that question, "Silence is a source of Great Strength." The presence of the caregivers does not mean that we fix the problem, but sometimes we help the member or spouse to address his/her own problems. The most important thing we can do for a grieving person is to simply be there; our support and caring presence will help him or her cope with the pain and begin to heal. We can offer comfort and support with our silent presence. If we cannot think of something to say, we can just offer eye contact, a squeeze of the hand, or a reassuring hug. For us to cope with all this, we should be like our Lord Jesus Christ.

Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed. Luke 5: 16.

Even the Son of Man gave himself a time of silence in order to communicate with God the Father. We all need times of silence. If there is no silence, it is hard to understand what is going on round us.

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Meet Doris Eastman, King's Painter. Doris started working at the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King in 1989 and has been the Painter for the past 27 years. Her projects have been many and varied and span across the campus, to include member rooms, hallways, conference rooms, offices, curbs, benches, and picnic tables. You name it, Doris paints it and she has probably painted this campus three times over! Doris has touched the lives of nearly every person at King by personalizing their space, and keeping everything looking clean, crisp, and new.

Doris grew up in Winneconne, WI and graduated from Winneconne High School in 1967. She is one of three daughters who grew up on a dairy farm. Growing up on a farm she learned at a very young age how to work hard and this has carried through in what she does every single day. Doris' father was a WWII Marine and is her absolute hero. He is buried in the cemetery at King next to her mother.

Doris has been married to her husband, Neil, for 48 years. Neil is an Army Veteran who worked with missiles while in the service and later as an Auto Mechanic

for the WVH-King for 29 years. Doris and Neil have 2 daughters, Nancy and Paula. Paula works at King in the MacArthur Hall Scheduling Office and Nancy is a Phys-Ed Teacher in Stevens Point. Doris and Neil also have two grandchildren – a granddaughter who is in the US Navy Reserve in hopes of becoming a doctor and a grandson who is a sophomore in high school (SPASH).

Doris loves to ride her Harley Sportster and has been doing so for 38 years. She rides with her two daughters who also own Harleys. "There is nothing better and more relaxing than a little wind therapy!" Doris also loves to garden, mow the lawn and in the winter enjoys scrapbooking.

Recognizing Wisconsin Veterans Home Doris Eastman

Doris shared a couple of memorable stories from her time working at King. "When I first started at King one of the very first painting projects assigned to me was to paint the roofs of all the cottages. Well, back then the cottages were not shingled, they were tin. Every roof had to be sanded, primed and painted hunter green. It was a big job, and I was the only one assigned to this project. I got to use a cherry picker (equipment we no longer have) to get up to the rooftops. One of the most embarrassing times of my career happened during that

project; the cherry picker ran out of gas while I was in the air. I asked an employee who happened to be walking past to notify my husband, the King Auto Mechanic at the time, I needed gas. I was never trained in operating the equipment and my husband relished every moment of this and then informed me all I had to do was push the emergency button."

Through the years Doris has shown dedication to King and the many members, staff, and families who have passed through these doors. Doris states, "My job is to take care of the members who call King home. Transitioning to King is a challenge and it's difficult as times for them to

adjust. I enjoy working with them and helping them select the color they would like to paint their room. I have the opportunity to put a little color into their life!" At King, we wish to say Thank You to Doris for her dedication and commitment to our members, our staff, our families, and all those who visit our beautiful facility. The "color" she provides leaves a lasting first impression on all!



Religious Services at the Wisconsin Veterans Home

Catholic Services

SUNDAY 8:00 AM STORDOCK HALL CHAPEL
9:00 AM AINSWORTH HALL CHAPEL
10:00 AM OLSON HALL CHAPEL
11:00 AM MACARTHUR HALL

Sr. Martha Mafurutu • ext. 2381 • Office Olson Hall, room 136

Lutheran Services

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

10:15 AM

MACARTHUR HALL CHAPEL

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Chaplain Wayne Schwanke • ext. 2465 • Office Ainsworth Hall, room P07

Protestant Services

SUNDAY
7:30 AM
8:30 AM
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9:30 AM
MACARTHUR HALL CHAPEL
10:30 AM
STORDOCK HALL CHAPEL

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Bible Studies

MONDAY	10:00 AM	OLSON HALL MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
THURSDAY	10:15 AM	AINSWORTH HALL 3rd FLOOR SOLARIUM
FRIDAY	10:00 AM 1:30 PM	MACARTHUR HALL DINING ROOM STORDOCK HALL MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM

^{***}AINSWORTH HALL 1 & 2 SERVICE - MONDAY MORNINGS AT 9:30 AM & 10:30 AM***



We would like to welcome the following new members to the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King:

Due to the Federal HIPAA Privacy Act only those members who have releases on file are listed.

Argil W. Stigen

a WW II Army Veteran joined us on September 2, 2016 from Neillsville. He is living at OH 349B.

James R. Winegarden

a Vietnam War Army Veteran joined us on September 2, 2016 from Wisconsin Rapids. He is living at MH 316A.

Kathleen Ligenza

a Vietnam War Navy Veteran joined us on September 16, 2016 from Plover. She is living at AH 352B.

Robert R. Conant

a Vietnam War Army Veteran joined us on September 19, 2016 from Stevens Point. He is living at OH 519A.

John L. Markham

a Vietnam War Army Veteran joined us on September 20, 2016 from Fort Collins, Colorado. He is living at SH 319A.

James L. Asbach

a Korean and Vietnam War Air Force Veteran joined us on September 21, 2016 from Crandon. He is living at OH 479A.

Richard J. Hildwein

a Peacetime Era Navy Veteran joined us on September 22, 2016 from Weston. He is living at OH 319B.

James E. Seim

a Vietnam War Navy Veteran joined us on September 22, 2016 from Appleton. He is living at MH 211A.

Carlos L. Yowell Sr.

a Korean War Army Veteran joined us on September 26, 2016 from Menasha. He is living at OH 319A.

William G. Hayes

A Vietnam War Army Air Corps Veteran joined us on September 26, 2016 from Antigo. He is living at OH 279A.

Charles A. Perry

a Vietnam War and Operation Enduring Freedom Air Force Veteran joined us on September 27, 2016 from Eau Claire. He is living at SH 449B.

Steven W. Stangel

a Peacetime Era Army Veteran joined us on September 27, 2016 from Sheboygan. He is living at OH 449B.

Francis P. Hintzke

a WWII Army Veteran joined us on September 28, 2016 from New London. He is living at MH 332A.

Oscar J. Sanchez

a Korean War Marine Corps Veteran joined us on September 29, 2016 from Waukesha. He is living at SH 449A.



Wanna listen to music that will bring back memories? WAUP runs a Big Band program on Sunday mornings from 6 to 10am.



Riddle

What did the Tin Man say when he got run over by a steamroller?

Answer from last month's riddle: **On the bottom!**

September activities sponsored by the King Recreation Committee, Inc.

Activity	Cost	Sponsored by
Fish Fry Trip- All Camp- (Harbor Bar)	\$ 300	DAVA
End of Season Fishing Banquet (all camp)	\$ 650	DAV
Football Tailgate Parties (all bldgs)	\$ 600	DAV
Entertainment (\$100 per bldg)	\$ 400	May Luchsinger
Operation Dust-Off/(POW-MIA Day)	\$ 500	King Recreation
Building Packer Pools- Season coupons	\$ 275	AMVETS
Ramp Bowling League Coupons	\$ 250	VFW
King Exchange Weekly Drawings	\$ 120	ALA
Stars and Stripes Newspaper Subscription	\$19/month	King Recreation
Catered Meals- (\$300 per bldg)	\$1200	AH(\$300)- ALA
		SH(\$300)- ALA
		OH(\$300)- VFW
		MH(\$300)- Door County Veterans
		Service group (through Ken Wendt)



Thank you for your support and for making a difference in the lives of King veterans and their families.

October Birthdays

1	Evelyn Tautges	SH329
	Doran Truex	MH222
	John Zembruski	SH272
2	Nellie Giranio	SH583
	Randall Olson	0H525
3	Irvin Snider	MH260A
	Russell Freese	0H576A
	Richard Kubichek	SH229
4	Margaret Hammes	0H365
5	Ralph Hartmann	MH336
	Larry Block	OH519B
6	Chester Polivka	SH450
	Manolia Law	MH335
	Lawrence Foulk	SH238
8	Richard Meyer	OH325
9	Elizabeth Hoffman	AH335
10	Clemens Wadzinski	SH366
	Francis Fisher	0H312
	Robert Hardwick	SH379A

11	George John	MH357B
	Christopher Laffin	AH404
13	Ethel Verdon	MH240
	John Rogers	SH427
14	Melvin Weber	SH341
15	Mary Wrycza	AH136
	Nathanael Simonson	SH212
16	Obert Sperstad	SH209
	John Pieper	MH329A
	Gerald Totzke	AH443
	Larry Fiegen	AH428B
	Steven Borre	SH519A
17	Harold Wilderman	SH549B
	Robert Johnson	SH235
18	Doris Levenhagen	AH233A
	Richard Rolstad	0H536
20	Gary Dodge	OH355
21	Roland Cady	MH370
22	Norma Hansen	0H549B

22	Donna Doule	AH419
	James Chartier	SH516A
	Richard Woodford	0H408
23	Joyce Holmes	MH213
	Michael Berard	SH419B
24	Donald Johnson	0H305
	Michael Sherman	SH579A
26	Anthony Churas	0H249B
	William Longstaff	0H579A
	Ruby Dunbar	AH107
	Michael Dennis	0H338
27	Lawrence Zeleski	0H235
	Donna Jacobi	AH253
28	Frances Knack	AH430
29	Catherine Janssen	SH433
	Gary Smith	AH353
	Gerald Darling	MH365
30	Richard Degen	AH160
	Wallace Cameron	AH223
	Guy Dancker	0H229
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November Birthdays

1	Fred Muschinski	MH263
2	Irene Seefelt	MH385
	Irene Drinkwine	SH502
	James Goetz	0H511
	Mary Henn	AH355
4	Samuel Beach	SH239
	Robert Chudy	MH368
5	Goldie Warzynski	SH302
6	Wiliam Conery	OH580
	Wayne Lohaus	SH322
7	Lois Moore	AH337
	Russell Ahlm	AH333B
8	Peter Petushek	0H272
	Michael Sullivan	0H246B
10	Marjorie Tonnsen	0H309
	Frank Crivello	0H329
13	Ruby Stupich	MH376
15	Raymond Resler	OH339

16	Hermane Wroblewski	MH331
	Leonard King	MH270
17	John Stack	AH405
	Clair Hollerup	SH479A
	Wayne Welch	SH203
	David Gutzdorf	OH376B
18	Joanne Leibold	AH128
19	Deloris Mier	0H366
20	Peter Ruland	0H476B
	Jessie Peterson	0H239
21	James Funck	AH357
23	Elizabeth Volmer	MH209
	Maxwell Huhta	SH416B
24	Robert Towns	0H336
26	Robert Dahms	0H441
27	Francis Cabe	SH216A
28	Edith Karcheski	AH356
	Donald Radke	0H250

28	Donald Galyardt	SH336
	James Tucker	SH271
29	James Gaffey	MH265
	Lee Wieland	SH439
	Larry Cavanaugh	MH261
30	Carlos Yo <mark>well</mark>	OH319A
	James Keith	AH142



Members enjoy sitting around a campfire in the park.



Member **Tom Walker** talked about the big musky he caught on the Chain.

The members at Ainsworth Hall enjoyed putting together bird houses.







Mel Steffens enjoyed a visit from our good friend Dusty.

The **Red Hat group from Fremont** visited and spoke to the Red Hat ladies of Ainsworth Hall.



Making Fidget Quilts.



TB TEST REQUIREMENTS FOR VOLUNTEERS

- If a volunteer has had a 2-step TB skin test (TST) within 90 days of their start date, they do not need another one.
- Volunteers who have had a 2- step TB skin test at another location will be asked to provide proof of results to WVH-King Employee Health Nurse.
- If volunteer have had one TST elsewhere within a month of their start date, our Employee Health Nurse can perform the second step here.
- WVH-King Employee Health Nurse can administer a TST here.
- Volunteers have the option of having their test read at King by our Employee Health nurse, RN, LPN, or MD anywhere between 48 and 72 hours late.
- Volunteers who do not live close to WVH-King can have 2 step TB skin test done at a location convenient for them, but will be asked to provide proof of results to WVH-King Employee Health Nurse, (contact information listed below).
- After the first step is completed, the second step must be administered within a week to a month. If the second step exceeds one month, you will have to start the
 process all over.
- Again WVH-King Employee Health Nurse is available to assist, however, if it is more convenient to have this test administered closer to your home of residence, you are free to do so. We just ask that the results be mailed, faxed or emailed to the WVH-King Employee Health Nurse (contact information listed below).
- October Clinic times for TB sign tests with WVH-King Employee Health Nurse (located in MacArthur Hall / 1st Floor).
 - o Oct 11th 11:30 am 12:00 pm
 - o Oct 12th 8:00 am 8:30 am
 - o Oct 17th 8:00 am 8:30 am
 - o Oct 19th 2:30 pm 3:00 pm
 - o Oct 25th 11:30 am 12:00 pm

To set up an appointment or for further information, feel free to contact WVH-King Employee Health Nurse Misty Zempel at 715.258.1672 or email her at misty.zempel@dva.wisconsin.gov.

FLU MASKING REQUIREMENTS

When "Flu Season" is officially declared by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), volunteers who have not had a flu shot will need to wear a mask at all times while at WVH-King. The Volunteer Office will be informed by King Administration when masking season will officially go into effect and will notify the volunteer community.

- At this time, the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King will not be offering flu shots to volunteers.
- Volunteers are asked to submit proof of Flu Vaccine paperwork to the Volunteer Office.
- Once the Volunteer Office receives your flu shot paperwork, please make sure you stop in and get your flu shot sticker to be placed on your volunteer ID badge.
 - o By email: DVAKVolunteerservices@dva.wisconsin.gov
 - o By Mail: WVH-King Volunteer Services | N2665 County Rd QQ | King, WI 54946

Please visit http://flu.wisconsin.gov/ for information on locations where you can get your flu vaccine.

ANNUAL FORMS RENEWAL

It is coming up on that time of year again when we will be preparing for the new year. The Volunteer Office will be sending out annual forms such as HIPAA, Infection Control, and other various reminders. Forms will be sent by email, US mail, and will be placed on our website for you to access, fill out, and return.

VOLUNTEER BANQUET VENUE TO CHANGE THIS YEAR

The 2017 annual Volunteer Banquet will have a new venue and date this year. In an effort to include ALL volunteers, Pets, Members and staff, plans are underway to host the banquet in the main park of the King Campus. The date will be moved to a weekday in July (with a rain date planed as well). During National Volunteer Appreciation week (April 23rd through April 28th) the Veterans Home at King will be planning something special for volunteers throughout the week in each hall. Stay tuned for more information!



Pizza and root beer floats sponsored by David Heffron and Paulette Bauer.

Thank you Glen Pilgreen and Barney for volunteering!



Members enjoying popcorn sponsored by the AMVETS.













Catered lunch sponsored by DoorCounty Veteran's Council.

Olson Hall recognized King's two POW survivors by treating them and their families to a special meal.



L to R: POW survivors Russell Wolden and Richard Radlinger and their families.







L to R: P**OW survivors Russell Wolden and Richard Radlinger** were honored by receiving the Quilt of Valor. The quilts were handmade by Cheryl Fahrner.



Y-NOTS sang for Olson Hall members.





Bruce Kloehn bowled multiple 300 games in September!

Mieko Kasieta treated members to rootbeer floats for her birthday.



Arlie Schneider Group came to Olson Hall and entertained members to a singalong.







Members Bev Bloedorn and Marge Hammes.



MARDEN MEMORIAL CENTER THEATER

Movies scheduled for NOVEMBER are:

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Tuesday, November 1
She's the Man

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 45 Min.

Wednesday, November 2

We Were Soldiers

Rated R 1 Hr. 58 Min.

Thursday, November 3

I Now Pronounce You Chuck & Larry

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 56 Min.

Friday, November 4

Blow

Rated R 2 Hr. 4 Min.

Monday, November 7

Knocked Up

Rated R 2 Hr. 13 Min.

Tuesday, November 8

Don't Say a Word

Rated R 1 Hr. 53 Min.

Wednesday, November 9

The Train Robbers

Rated PG 1 Hr. 32 Min.

Thursday, November 10

Horrible Bosses

Rated R 1 Hr. 38 Min. Friday, November 11 **Legends of the Fall**

Rated R 2 Hr. 15 Min.

Monday, November 14

Slumdog Millionaire

Rated R 2 Hr. 1 Min.

Tuesday, November 15

Hot Shots

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 25 Min.

Wednesday, November 16

Edge of Darkness

Rated R 1 Hr. 57 Min.

Thursday, November 17

Along Came Jones

Not Rated 1 Hr. 30 Min.

Friday, November 18

Dallas Buyers Club

Rated R 1 Hr. 57 Min.

Monday, November 21

Coach Carter

Rated PG-13 2 Hr. 16 Min.

Tuesday, November 22

Crocodile Dundee

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 37 Min. Wednesday, November 23

Austin Powers

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 30 Min.

Thursday, November 24 **NO MOVIE**

Happy Thanksgiving!

Friday, November 25

Annapolis

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 43 Min.

Monday, November 28

Taxi

Rated PG-13 1 Hr. 37 Min.

Tuesday, November 29

Love is Forever

Not Rated 1 Hr. 40 Min.

Wednesday, November 30

Never Talk to Strangers

Rated R 1 Hr. 26 Min.

Cookout **sponsored by DAVA.**





Cookout sponsored by Neshkoro VFW.

Corn husking on the patio.





Fish Boil in the Park sponsored by the AMVETS and State Elks.









The Library has added several books to its permanent collection. Following are some of those books.

Last Days of the Condor by James Grady

"Condor" — the name you yourself made iconic, and now you have been branded with it and must run for your life. You can get close to no one, or they too will become targets. You can trust no one, or they may kill you! Even though you are the target of the largest secret national security apparatus in America's history, you refuse to just fade away.

"Shot through with sex and suspense, with secret agent tradecraft and full-speed action, Last Days of the Condor is a breakneck saga of America's secrets"...

Pretty Ballerina by John Wessel

Cassie Rayn recruits private investigator Harding to help her with a mystery that began 22 years ago. That was when her brother disappeared. Then two years after that, Cassie hid in the basement while upstairs the rest of her family were murdered. Her brother had never been found and the murders were never solved.

Cassie asks Harding to go with her back to that house where she grew up. She has recently begun to receive anonymous messages, eerie reminders of the most horrible night of her life, and also hints that her brother might be alive. This will keep you in suspense.

Someone To Love by Jude Deveraux

Three years ago, Jace Montgomery's fiancée Stacy committed suicide — just days before their wedding. Jace has always found it difficult to accept the fact that Stacy would do such a thing. Then he discovers a post card inside one of Stacy's books. Written on the card is the message "Ours again. Together forever. See you there." The picture on the card is of Priory House, an old estate in England. Jace, who is immensely wealthy, decides to buy the place!

The house is "inhabited" by the ghost of Ann Stuart, a woman who died under circumstances similar to Stacy's. Follow the journey as Jace, with the help of pretty newspaper reporter Nightingale Smyth, investigates the mysteries of these 2 untimely deaths.

King and Maxwell by David Baldacci

Teenager Tyler Wingo receives the awful news that his soldier father has been killed in action in Afghanistan. But then, he receives a communication from his father — AFTER his supposed death.

Tyler hires Sean King and Michelle Maxwell to investigate what is going on! Sean and Michelle quickly learn they are dealing with treachery. Their hunt for the truth leads them to the highest levels of power and to uncovering the most clandestine of secrets. They are determined to help and protect Tyler, but it could cost them their lives.

The Final Summit by Andy Andrews

If you enjoy reading about time travel, you will be captivated by this book. Traveler David Ponder is informed through divine channels that he and hundreds of his fellow travelers must work to discover a solution that will save humanity. The final summit of travelers, including Ponder, Winston Churchill, George Washington Carver, and Joan of Arc, must work quickly because time is running out!

"The Final Summit explores the historically proven principles that have guided our greatest leaders for centuries, and how we might restore these principles in our own lives."

Second Street Station by Lawrence H. Levy

(A Mary Handley Mystery)

Mary Handley wants nothing more than to become a detective, not an easy feat for a nineteenth-century woman in New York. Then, at the murder scene of a well-connected New Yorker, she shows some sleuthing skills that get the attention of the Brooklyn Police Department. They actually turn to her to help solve the crime! Mary ends up questioning people such as J. P. Morgan and Thomas Edison. She soon discovers, however, that she must unearth the skullduggery of the city's leading public figures. And these men will go to any lengths to protect their secrets.

Fireworks Over Toccoa by Jeffrey Stepakoff

This is a love story about Lily — married only one week when her husband went to war. In 1945, the town of Toccoa prepares for its returning war heroes by planning an elaborate fireworks display. Lily finds her heart stolen by a handsome Italian immigrant who is also just back from the war. This is the story of her torment as she struggles with her emotions.

Benefits of Being Willing to Sit in Silence

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"Silence nurtures the soul, relaxes the body temple, and gives us the strength we need in moments of uncertainty. Welcome it." - Ana Ortega

Above all, the most important reason we go into silence is that we want to be in communion with God the Father, who is above us and beyond us,

and so, in silence we are able to listen to the voice of God. How many times do we say, "Oh my goodness, I did not listen to my voice." Silence helps us to be aware of what is going inside, outside, and around us. "Be still and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, exalted on the earth." Psalm 46:11.



Recognizing Wisconsin Veterans

Home at King 1/01 Lynda Taylor

Redgranite. Lynda and her husband Chuck heard of an AMVETS campout and decided to attend. Her first

contact with King was that weekend at the dedication of the Avenue of Flags in 1987 when she was asked to hold a flag. For many years there was a walk/run held that weekend. Lynda helped coordinate this event until it ended in 1994. Lynda helped place flags on the graves at the King Cemetery for many years, also involving her daughter and granddaughter. She also helped out at the New Year's Eve parties at MacArthur Hall.

She has been an active participant/ volunteer in the AMVETS King

weekend for the last 29 years and has coordinated it since being appointed as Rep on the King Recreation Committee. She served as chairman of the Rec Committee for 2008/09.

Some of the other areas Lynda has volunteered at are manning a food booth at Open House, accompanying members on many road trips, popping popcorn twice

Lynda is a life member of AMVETS Auxiliary #13 of a month, scenic rides on the pontoon, serving at Strawberry Fest, helping serve at catered meals, pontoon fishing with members, trips to Sentry Theater, Timber

> Rattler games, parades, and new member orientation. She especially remembers an overnight trip with the members and some staff to Two Rivers for a fishing trip on Lake Michigan.

> Lynda is always encouraging others to volunteer at King and has recruited several new volunteers from her local auxiliary. She enjoys interacting with the members.



"There are certain people you know you can call on at a moment's notice to be there and give their all; Lynda is one of those special people. She and her husband Chuck are extremely dedicated to giving back to those who served. Go Navy!' ~Amber Nikolai



Rick Engstrom
WVH-King Member

Buck Luck

Went strolling out among the trees, Blaze orange suit, fall breeze Hunting that elusive whitetail deer. Found a good old white oak stump On which to place my dragging rump. Think I'll stop awhile and hunt right here. The very spot that I did choose Was not conductive to a snooze. I started out to find a better stand. A grassy wind protected hump. On which to place my dragging rump. And watch the sun come washing o'er the land. I'll have good luck, it is my hunch. Thought it might have been a little soon. Donuts, candy, coffee too. I check my watch, the time is eight. S'pose I'll sit some more and wait. Though I'm feeling most completely froze. At eight o'clock the deer should run. I squint about, then check my gun. A stream of teary water down my nose. I take glance off to the east. Here comes a MIGHTY HORNED BEAST. An eternity goes by with every tick. Bring up the gun...draw a bead. That old buck has got some speed. Squeeze the trigger...nothing but a click. Nothing but a click. Nothing but a click you say. What happened to anticipated fun? While I packed in all that grub An error made...here comes the rub. Forgot to put a bullet in my gun. It's like so many times before. I'm dragging nothing to the door. No food supply to store up in our coop. The great huge buck that got away, Will live to breathe another day. I'll have another bowl of hot TRACK SOUP.

Upcoming Major Events

Semi-Annual
Commemoration Service
Sat., November 5

Marine Corps Birthday
Thurs., November 10

Veterans Day Program
Fri., November 11

Pearl Harbor Day Program Wed., December 7

Parade of Lights
December

Wreaths Across America Sat., December 17

For more events, please visit www.WisVets.com

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